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THANKSGIVING SERMON.

Delivered by Rev. John E. Abbott, Pastor of the Southern Presbyterian Church.

Nehemiah, 8.10.—Then he said unto them, "Go your way, eat the fat, drink the sweet, and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared: for this day is holy unto our Lord, neither be ye sorry, for the joy of the Lord is your strength." These words which unfolded gladness and feasting mingled upon the people, bring to our minds the events that led up to this occasion. We can but see the striking change that has taken place in the spirit and conduct of Nehemiah, and the wonderful work that had been wrought by and for the captives of Babylon. When Nehemiah, who was in a position of high favor with the king, exercises received intelligence of the affliction of the people that yet remained in captivity after the two returning companies had gone, and that the walls of Jerusalem were broken down, he is grieved and comes and sits him down, and wept and mourned certain days and prayed and fasted before the Lord. At last, at a moment when he was in special favor with the king, he made request for permission to go with his people and repair the walls of his beloved city; for passports and order for material with which to do the work. Against great difficulty they carried on the work. They were compelled to endure the slanderings of Tobiah and Sanballat who accused them of treason against the king, because of their ambition. They worked in the face of ridicule, and Tobiah used when he desired that a fox would break down their wall were he to run up against it. They were harassed by hostile tribes around them, and were compelled to hold to weapons for defense while they handled the work of labor. But at last the work was done. Its accomplishment under such unpropitious beginning and such unfavorable conditions impressed them as it did the neighboring tribes, and the conviction that Jehovah had done it,—that it was the sign of his restored favor and blessing. So deeply did they feel this that they called for the book of the law and demanded that it be read if them. And as that law was read they measured up themselves by it, and saw their utter variance with it and they bowed their faces to the earth and wept and mourned for their nation and for themselves. There are many such scenes in the Bible as that—instances in which the servants and people of God fall upon their faces to the earth, and in that position of deep humiliation and sorrow, cry, "What has God has to say." Moses, Joshua, David and Daniel at various times in their experiences are shown as lying prostrate, and how many anything like words of dignity in themselves. We would not ignore or set at naught the great lesson of humility that is taught by incidents like these. We would not forget that in this position of humility and self-abasement, it is often necessary for man to place himself before he can hear and receive any message from his God. We would not deny that if we constantly maintain an attitude of pride we shall be ignorant, that if we do not sometimes humble ourselves we shall listen in vain for his divine voice calling us either to service or to joy.

But since God's word is designed to suit human nature and to appeal to all of man's capabilities we must grant that its teaching has as many aspects as that nature, and that to enjoin it upon man to constantly maintain such an attitude as did these people at the foot of the law, and these other examples named, would be going further than scriptural injunction and example warrant.

But in this passage another truth is taught, and that is, though not contradictory to the one just named. That in order to the highest usefulness of man and the greatest glory of God, it is necessary sometimes that man be found not deploring, bowed down in deepest humiliation but standing in an attitude of self respect, not empty of self but conscious of his own God given power.

ers, and rejoicing in what God has made him.

These words of Nehemiah and Ezra place them on record as opposed to all foolish, thoughtless, and blind, depreciation of our own condition. Somewhere, we mortals have such a poor idea of the fitness of things. We possess so many capabilities of emotion and feeling and we so often just let them run and manifest themselves with no fitness to the occasion,—with no connection between feeling and fact; and we often weep when we ought to laugh, we bow down our heads and we are glad to be disappointed men who look at the vice-versa. This day on which they were gathered together to be held the work which they had done, says, to celebrate its completion, was no time for courting up discouraging features. They and wrought a wonderful work of God and wanted them to see it,—wanted them to recognize the power which God had given them, and lift up their heads and be glad to do it. We do not know that there was any protest entered against true humility; for that can exist along with the greatest joy, but that is no true humility which fails to see the facts, which ignores the good even in itself, while it magnifies the evil. But every age has witnessed greater or less prevalence of the popular and false philosophy of pessimism. It permeates every stratum of society reaches and blights men of all conditions. Its site enthroned behind the professor's desks, from which are doled out ethics, history, political economy, and theology, colored with its sombre hues. Its doleful tenets are expounded by the street philosopher, they are depicted by the newspaper satirist, and worse than all, they are felt by hundreds and thousands of hopeless, discouraged, disappointed men who look at the world through their darkened glasses, who believe that evil and failure is so prevalent that it would be unworthy of them to notice the good, to see success; and so they choose the shady, cold, side of the street in winter, the sunny scorching side in summer, and so doggedly pursue their bitter hopeless way. But for those who cling to this opinion of their own condition and the condition of the world, there is no possibility of thanksgiving and gratitude. The proper relation of such men to their God is severed.

For what shall we be thankful, if not for the fact that God has put us under the highest strain of the term that it is possible for man's mind to grasp!—Men created in the image of their God, which, no matter how it may have been blighted and marred, still is not destroyed.

For what shall we be thankful, if not for the conviction that we are not creatures of circumstance, but sovereigns of circumstance, given the power to use circumstances as the tools with which to build our lives.

For what should we lift up our hearts in praise, if not for the firm faith that through the ages God's increasing purpose runs, and that involves the lives of men, and that rules or uses the facts and relations of life? And if we possess not this conviction, if we believe not that these things are true, I know no possibility of thanksgiving—see no place for gratitude, for there is nothing for which to be thankful, and that proclamation which calls the people of these United States together to-day is a cruel mockery of our woes.

It is time when God was preparing to send his servant, Ezekiel, to Israel with messages of warning and invitation. He drew aside the curtain and let him see the throne of God, and the glory that shone as fire around it, and a bow that was in appearance like unto a bow that was in the cloud in the day rain; and when he saw it he fell upon his face, and the voice that spoke said unto him, "Son of man, stand upon thy feet and I will speak to thee." So would God speak to our nation and to every individual, but there is a time when he can not speak to a despairing heart—when he can not communicate to a hopeless, pessimistic mind. Oh let us stand upon our feet at this, our national festival of Tabernacles, and see if we may not hear his voice in the blast of trumpets, in waves of joyful song, in shouts of praise, whereas we have

felt to hear it in the minor notes that wail of sin and sorrow in the dirge of death, in the moans of calamity and ruin.

II. I see in this text an exhortation of forgetfulness. Strange as it may seem, God's word enjoins forgetfulness as well as remembrance. These people mourned for their sins when they heard the law, and the leaders of the people stopped and forbade them to consider that question on that day but to go and eat the fat and drink the sweet and send portions unto them for whom nothing is prepared.—to rejoice and be glad—because the day was holy. And yet that command was consistent with nature—it is adapted to the very constitution of man. We are so constituted by nature as to be unable to live under a constant strain of apprehension or in constant remembrance of some dark fact in our lives. It is one of the mercies of God in nature. The soul for instance, that has suffered grief may feel that it will never forget its bereavement,—that it will live and prevent every moment. But as the days and weeks drag on, now and then a moment comes when the old smiles across the countenance again, and now and then the voice of the bereaved one comes back, and the cheerful ring, and the sun seems to shine with its old time brightness, and the birds sing sweetly, and the flowers look gay once more. It is not that we forget, but that we know that it is so, and though we may grieve our sorrow it humbers off and gives the poor heart rest.

2.—So it is with the consciousness of the burden of debt and the pinch of poverty. There even comes a time when his life seems to forget the burden that he is bearing—the odds against which he is struggling. Sometimes when he takes his little ones on his knee and looks into their bright faces, free from care and worry, his own spirit catches their mirth and he is as happy as a millionaire. And then sometimes, such as Christmas, he so far forgets his condition that he buys toys and sweet-meats and luxuries that he does not often have; and as with a joyous heart he bears them home to his sweet cherubs, I am tempted to pull aside the curtain and let you see that scene when they receive their little ones. But no! it is too sacred for unallured eyes to look upon, too beautiful for any but the angels to see.

I hear some righteous man, some honest man, say—"He had better pay his debts." "He had better buy shoes and clothing or furniture for his bare home instead of those things." "No you don't! You shall not subject that poor life to your hard philosophy. You shall not compel him to live every moment in plain view of the discouraging facts that surround his life. It is decreed by nature, it is commanded by God.

I expect there will be feasts in some homes to-day where there will be feasts to-morrow. Some people will eat turkey to-day, and cannot buy bacon next week. What of it? It's there home, their life; and the Jesus who permitted a costly vase of ointment to be poured upon his head when it might have bought necessities for relations, would say likewise of these,—"Let them alone. Let them alone."

So it is also with one who is a sinner. There are times now and then when he forgets what a bad man he is, when he does not seem to see the blackness of his own heart. And you who are laboring in the gospel know that it is impossible to keep a man under heavy conviction of sin.

We can make that conviction deep now and then, but as he mingles with the world and its pleasures, it disappears—there is a time when he feels his sin, and times when he almost if not quite forgets it. Is it not so? Is it not so? If he is labored under that conviction always, the brain would crack, the light of reason go out. That fact is the distinguishing difference between this place and perdition. We are going to perdition hell in one sentence, I would say, it is "the place where a soul never forgets."

I know and so do you that there are many things in our national life that are to be deplored—evil that call for strong hearts and ready hands to put them down. We might if we chose, dwell at length upon these evils; the dan-

gers that arise from the worship of self, the love of power, the lust for gold, the weak-ning of faith, the decay of public virtue, and the lack of private worth." But we will not consider these to-day, for it is a day that is holy with the associations of the past—sacred with the honor which our fathers chose to give it.

III. Then too, we see in this text the opposite of positive, statement of the truth—a command to see the good and be thankful for it. Shall we fail to-day to see the blessings of every nature that God has poured upon this country, the wonderfulness of that God is giving her for a growth yet more marvelous in the sight of the world? Yea, we will thank Him for them all. And as we would enumerate them, "freedom" first presents itself, for we are free in a larger sense than any other people in the world. We can not fail to breathe out our gratitude for the American passion for education and the broadening of her educational facilities, for the American, dogged and fearless search for the truth, whether that truth approves or condemns ourselves. We can but be grateful for the poor man's rights and opportunities, for the fact that any man has the right to aspire to the highest attainments has a right to any home that worth can win—for the fact that there is one country at least where the only aristocracy is that of the intellect, of labor and merit—an aristocracy that needs no pedigree to commend it, no blue blood to sustain it, but which only receives honor for what it is and not for what it boasts.

Oh, well! thus we speak, upon our mind there crowd visions of the countless quiet and prosperous homes where each man sits beneath his own vine and fig tree in purity and peace. Our temporal, national blessings too, clamor for recognition, and as we hear the rumble of machinery the busy hum of the factories, the rolling of the wheels of commerce over a million artificial ways, our hearts are glad and we exclaim, "What hath God wrought?" Aye, by nature we are placed in a position of favor held by no other land; with a marvelous possession of inland seas and innumerable water ways, with salt waves lading our shores on every side save one. But best of all, the greatest treasure of all is the spiritual heritage that belongs to America. The most precious thing that our pilgrim fathers brought across the water of the Atlantic is their faith in God—their strong reliance upon His almighty arm—that heritage is ours, ours to cherish and value, ours to preserve and perpetuate, ours to hand down to the generations yet to come as the most valuable thing that we have in our power to give them. If any individual lives are to come into notice, we would name as the greatest benefactors of our country those who have done most to preserve and increase that spiritual heritage, who would speak of the Edwards, the Wesley's, the Whitfields, the Roger Williams and the Alex. Campbells—names that shall never die, with-out whose work we would have

been spiritual paupers indeed. Men who belong not to their respective churches alone, but to America and to the world for all time.

This thought leads us to the key of the whole text. This exhortation to refuse to be discouraged by the evil and to open our eyes only to the good is a father's advice if we go no farther—if we have no reason for that position. But the last clause of the text gives the reason, "For the joy of the Lord is your strength."

There are only two views of life possible: one a blank despair which sees naught but corruption and decay in national life, naught but failure and death for many; the other, a firm belief that this world is a place of preparation where happiness and unhappiness, failure and success work together in such a way that men and nations shall be purer and better. This last hopeful, joyful view of life and its issues, can only be held by those who keep God in sight, who find their strength in the joy of the Lord, who believe that God is at the helm of our nation, guiding us to some peaceful haven, that within the shadow of every life standeth God keeping watch upon his own.

So if you have naught but condemnation for the world, nothing but hopeless things to say, I care not whether you reach that conclusion by philosophy, subtle and deceitful, or by personal rebuff, or by feeling of superiority and egotism, or merely because it is the fashion to creak, then there is one thing sure, you have not God in view. You do not believe in God. Against that, stands the optimism and hopefulness of Jesus. He came to the world with no groundless praise or foolish flattery on his lips; deceiving no man as to his condition—but because he hoped in Him he said, "I came not to condemn the world but to save the world."

So as we believe in God shall our lives be blessed with hope, as we doubt shall they be blighted with the curse of despair.

This is God's message of hope that comes from the long ago; the joy of the Lord, the happiness of life. And bending low as Elijah did, and praying that our eyes may be made to see, we too may see the cloud off yonder in the horizon of the by and bye that promises blessings in showers. We see in ecstatic vision that adversity is working out prosperity that darkness is burning into light—that personal sorrow is blossoming into the flowers of joy, that the good things that God hath wrought are but our earnest, a pledge of more to follow. Feeling that "twere sacrilege to say more, that I were despicably mean to say less, we can but murmur, "We thank thee, O Heavenly Father, we thank Thee."

Although the author of a book on the finances of Turkey has been decorated by the Sultan for his work, the Turkish press censor has prohibited the sale of the volume in Turkey.

British coal mining industries show increased employment of 1.5 per cent. over that of a year ago.

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LAMENTED REED.

Ex-speaker Reed has passed into the future after having shown the great powers of the man. He ruled congress at will and in his political career was caused to halt by Mark Hanna, whom he despised to the last. Whatever may be said of Reed he was a man of intellect, courage and determination.

He left politics a poor man but in three years practice at law had owned \$150,000.00. He was heart broken by an ungrateful party. After his defeat at St. Louis he spoke thus: "To think," said he to ex-Speaker Kellogg at the Shoreham Hotel a short time after the convention, that I who have stood the brunt of the fight for the party in the last two years, have been firmly and bitterly assailed by the Democrats, securing their hatred for a lifetime; that I, who have brought order out of chaos in the House of Representatives, allowing it to transact its business, thereby passing important measures of great interest to the Republican party, should be cast aside and degraded and a little man who never did anything for his party, except by my support, taken in my place."

INTERURBAN ROAD.

The survey of the electric line between here and Lexington having been completed another survey is being made via Lexington and Eastern Railway and this done work will be on and pushed as fast as men and money can do it. The road is assured.

There is something for our people to do now. Mt. Sterling's prosperity depends on the present population. If we want manufactures, they must bring them. We will have with the completion of this road, water, light and power. We have large openings in crude state, tobacco, hemp, timber, stone and everything with which to put wheels in motion. Shall we take advantage of the opportunity.

We would have our people and especially those who, for cause, failed to hear the Thanksgiving sermon delivered by Rev. John Abbott, to read it, sentence at a time, ponder well, and permit their lives to conform to the lessons contained therein.

We publish in this issue the President's message in full. In some respects it is a remarkable document. Remarkable in that

the great Roosevelt finds himself up against the Barons of the East, of the West, the North and the South, and in a measure the President stands behind the curtain while the great trusts make insatiable demands and when next seen he is astraddle of the fence. All subjects considered it has the coloring of Republicanism and with it not far in the background are the dominating trusts and money powers.

LIBRARY CONTESTS.

The Gazette has for the past few issues, published an advertisement of the Free Gift Library Association containing the 10 vote coupons, which have been gathered and deposited by friends of the various contending institutions. This is misleading report, because The Gazette, not appearing among the parties representing this association, is not entitled to a live coupon, and if they should be counted it would invalidate the project. The coupon published in the ADVOCATE, and also in pads at the store of members, furnish corroborative evidence of this statement. The Gazette's attention having been called to these facts, he realizes he has been unintentionally imposed on, and will see that coupons do not appear again, which is nothing short of justice to all concerned.

Mr. Hart, chief engineer of the electric railway, met with the business men of the city Tuesday to get an expression regarding routes for the line. And the universal expression was by way of Clay City, and by way of Clay City it is apt to go.

A MATTER OF PUBLIC INTEREST.

Words of Commendation, Criticism and Suggestion Concerning Our Streets.

The streets are outrageous for a first-class town. Asa Beau.
Why do you not go after the Council about the streets? A rock contractor said, "the rock which is used will crumble in three months when exposed (not used)."

Dr. J. A. Shirley.
It is an outrage.
Squire Turner.

They say that rock from Coal road can be delivered as cheap as rock being used, and one load of it is worth two of this.

Joe W. Stephens.
Our streets are extremely bad.
T. P. Martin.

Please tell them to have a pavement laid beyond Bauman Hotel, I am wading in mud ankle deep.
Miss Agnes.

I will have a boat made if they do not fix the crossings.
Miss Bettie.

They should use better rock.
Henry Bright.

They are in bad shape, the Council should have good rock, napped.
Joe Lindsay.

I have never seen the streets in such shape and some means should be devised for obtaining better rock. Some attention should be given to some sidewalks.
H. B. French.

The freeze is a God send to Mt. Sterling now, as this is the only time we have good streets.

I endorse the movement of securing better rock, as proposed by the ADVOCATE.
J. S. Frazer.

Plenty of dust in summer and mud in winter. Am glad to see that the Council is giving attention to sidewalk. Strangers are not favorably impressed with bad streets.
W. P. Guthrie.

The Council is to be commended for enforcing the "pavement ordinance."
C. D. Grubbs.

The pavement from Main street up Clay should be attended to.
Jno. C. Thompson.

The streets are better today (Monday) than on yesterday.
Tipton Young.

(Heavy freeze on Sunday night.—Ed.)

The Council is doing all it can in regard to pavements. No comment on streets. C. W. Harris.

Better rock and drainage.
R. A. Chiles.

I am in favor of good streets.
Clay McKee.

Nothing to say. Jno. G. Winn.
I favor brick streets and pavements of good quality.

Robt. Waleh.
I favor brick streets, at present they are miserable.
Thos. Kennedy.

It is a disgrace to have such streets when we are paying the price we are for what we get.
Tipton Young.

I hear that better stone at a cheaper price was offered, but the offer was not accepted.
Chas. Reis.

Lets talk about the streets when they are not so nasty, so bad.
I. F. Tabb.

We can afford to lay brick streets on Main, Mayville, Court and Broadway Streets.
T. K. Barnes.

We should devise a plan for brickwork our streets.
C. G. Thompson.

Rock and not mud should be put on the streets,
J. C. Graves.

Every business house should have a pavement like that in front of our store.
R. E. Punch.

The pavements have been improved, but more ought to be done. The streets will not be improved until better stone is used. This seems to be the general impression.
W. A. Sutton.

I favor the issuing of bonds for brick streets.
W. S. Lloyd.

I take the streets and the weather as they come, and am always thankful for both. I am not an expert in either sphere, and not sufficiently acquainted with the secrets of their management to offer intelligent criticism. As for the streets, I would vote bonds to pave the business section with vitrified brick or something better.
W. T. Tibbs.

I favor brick streets, anything in preference to what we have.
H. H. Barnes.

The rough surface of our streets and the bad quality of rock used, should not be allowed.
C. H. Petry.

Brick streets to expensive for us to undertake at present. The only remedy that I suggest would be better stone. The street should be torn up by machinery before applying any more metal. The metal should be crushed and rolled. It will pay the city to buy machinery to operate it. Have a market for stone open to all who have desirable goods to offer in any quantity.
L. T. Chiles.

I favor brick streets in business part of town, for in the end it will be cheaper than the rock we are now using.
Henry Jones.

The laws concerning the building of pavements are good enough, the trouble is that they are not enforced. The streets should be paved with vitrified brick, after a sewerage system is adopted. Time will bring these, F. J. Bigstaff.

The stone now used is not what we would like to have, but as a former committeeman of the council, who investigated, I think it is as good as any within four miles of town.
Joe M. Conroy.

I favor brick on streets from Christian to Methodist Church, from depot to High St., on Court and Broadway. This should be preceded by a system of sewerage as provided for by the last legis lature.
H. R. Prewitt.

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LAND, STOCK AND CROP ITEMS.

A Kansas City Trader refused \$170 each for 350 mules which were ready for the Southern market. J. R. Shout last week bought of Robt. Whaley 100 acres and from Jake Trumbo traded for 64 acres, both near Sharpsburg. Price of Whaley land \$77.50, of Trumbo land \$80. On January 1st Mr. Shout and family will move to it. Sid Hart sold to Will Clay 18, 000 pounds of tobacco at 7 cents. Wm. Jones sold to John McClain 20 acres of improved land on Grassy pike for \$3,000.

Live Stock Market.

Chicago Cattle Receipts—Good to prime steers, \$5.80 to \$7.25; poor to medium, \$3 to \$5.75; stockers and feeders, \$2 to \$4.75.

Hogs—Receipts, 45,000 head; 10 cents lower; mixed butchers, \$5.90 to \$6.35; good to choice heavy, \$6.35 to \$6.65; light shippers, \$5.75 to \$6.10. Bulk of sales at \$6.15 to \$6.25.

Sheep—Sheep and lambs steady. Good to choice wethers \$8.75 to \$12.25; native lambs, \$8.50 to \$5.50. Western, \$3.75 to \$5.00.

CINCINNATI.

Cattle—Receipts for the last week have been unusually liberal. Good feeding cattle in demand at strong prices. Butcher steers, extra, at \$4.90 to \$5; good, \$4.40 to \$4.75; common, \$3.80 to \$4; heifers, extra \$4.50; good, \$3.50 to \$4.25; common, \$2.50 to \$3; cows, \$2.50 to \$4; canners, \$1.50 to \$2.50; stockers and feeders, \$2.50 to \$4.75.

Hogs—Receipts moderate and prices a shade higher. Selected shippers and butchers, \$6.40 to \$6.45; good packers, \$5.90 to \$6.35; light shippers, \$6 to \$6.20; common to choice, \$5 to \$6; pigs, 110 lbs and less, \$5 to \$6.

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Drawing Bigger Salary.

La Lucha says President Palma is drawing a larger salary than the former Spanish Captain General or General Wood. According to the budget President Palma received \$25,000 allowance for salary, \$25,000 for secret urgent expenses, \$7,500 for servants and \$8,040 for sundry expenses relating to furniture and his stable. The Spanish Captain General received \$41,000 and Gen. Wood \$17,000.

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To buy 200 barrels of corn and 50 good work mules.

Mt. Sterling Stock Yards Co.

Death.

The jury at Lexington sentenced Earl Whitney to death.

Give him a \$10 Suit that will hold its shape. Walsh Bros. sell them.

We Have Pleased Others, We Will Please You.

It is a well-known fact that the majority of people in the every-day walk of life are not judges of jewelry. So many people are fooled every day by the appearance of a piece of jewelry. They are charged enormous prices for an article that looks pretty but has no wearing qualities and is almost worthless.

What one gives a present in jewelry, he first wants to know that it will wear well, and second, that he does not give any more for it than it is actually worth.

Of the thousands of people and the way we treat them. What pleasant picture of jewelry is presented to the eye? Our stock is complete with a full line of Gold and High Grade Solid Gold jewelry, Clocks, Watches, Rings, Novelties, etc. We give the customer a money-back guarantee with every article. Come and see our goods, and we will be glad to handle the crowd so make satisfaction.

First Prize of \$5 was won by Mrs. Effie Broughton, who held the lucky number—2928.

Second Prize, \$3, No. 1060—Unclaimed.

Third Prize, \$2, No. 628—Mrs. James Gibson.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

We have been busy getting in New Goods and haven't had time to change this ad. for a week or two, but now we are ready to wait on you with NEW GOODS at prices to satisfy. New Nuts, straight or assorted, at 20c per pound; Raisins, Prunes, Peaches and Apricots, all new stock, cheap, and Cake Fillings of any kind. If you want to see if our statements are true, come in. We pay cash for our goods and think we can buy as cheap as anybody, quality considered. We will deliver your goods in town in as clean a package and as nice shape and as quick as any of our competitors, full weights and measures guaranteed. We call especial attention to our CHRISTMAS GOODS, which will be on exhibition in plenty of time for the Holidays.

Space will not permit us to enumerate them. Give us a call. Our store is always open during business hours. Yours for Trade,

C. T. EVANS.

HOLIDAY GOODS.

Top's Dolls, Wagons

A TON OF FINE CANDY.

Ice Cream Kisses, Cream-covered Dates, Coconut Bon Bons, Cream Wafers, Little Buttercups, Pure Cream French Mince, No Gum Drops, Chocolate Pyramids, Lemon Drops, very fine Honey Chicks, Peanut Brittle.

We have the exclusive agency for this fine candy.

IRON TOYS.

Beautiful Dressed jointed Dolls, .45, 50, 75 and \$1—just come in and see em.

MECHANICAL TOYS.

Walking Man, The Miller, Anxious Bride, Balley Donkey and Automobile, 15, 25, 40, 50, 75, 1.00, 1.25, 1.50, 2.00, 2.50, 3.00, 3.50, 4.00, 4.50, 5.00, 5.50, 6.00, 6.50, 7.00, 7.50, 8.00, 8.50, 9.00, 9.50, 10.00, 10.50, 11.00, 11.50, 12.00, 12.50, 13.00, 13.50, 14.00, 14.50, 15.00, 15.50, 16.00, 16.50, 17.00, 17.50, 18.00, 18.50, 19.00, 19.50, 20.00, 20.50, 21.00, 21.50, 22.00, 22.50, 23.00, 23.50, 24.00, 24.50, 25.00, 25.50, 26.00, 26.50, 27.00, 27.50, 28.00, 28.50, 29.00, 29.50, 30.00, 30.50, 31.00, 31.50, 32.00, 32.50, 33.00, 33.50, 34.00, 34.50, 35.00, 35.50, 36.00, 36.50, 37.00, 37.50, 38.00, 38.50, 39.00, 39.50, 40.00, 40.50, 41.00, 41.50, 42.00, 42.50, 43.00, 43.50, 44.00, 44.50, 45.00, 45.50, 46.00, 46.50, 47.00, 47.50, 48.00, 48.50, 49.00, 49.50, 50.00, 50.50, 51.00, 51.50, 52.00, 52.50, 53.00, 53.50, 54.00, 54.50, 55.00, 55.50, 56.00, 56.50, 57.00, 57.50, 58.00, 58.50, 59.00, 59.50, 60.00, 60.50, 61.00, 61.50, 62.00, 62.50, 63.00, 63.50, 64.00, 64.50, 65.00, 65.50, 66.00, 66.50, 67.00, 67.50, 68.00, 68.50, 69.00, 69.50, 70.00, 70.50, 71.00, 71.50, 72.00, 72.50, 73.00, 73.50, 74.00, 74.50, 75.00, 75.50, 76.00, 76.50, 77.00, 77.50, 78.00, 78.50, 79.00, 79.50, 80.00, 80.50, 81.00, 81.50, 82.00, 82.50, 83.00, 83.50, 84.00, 84.50, 85.00, 85.50, 86.00, 86.50, 87.00, 87.50, 88.00, 88.50, 89.00, 89.50, 90.00, 90.50, 91.00, 91.50, 92.00, 92.50, 93.00, 93.50, 94.00, 94.50, 95.00, 95.50, 96.00, 96.50, 97.00, 97.50, 98.00, 98.50, 99.00, 99.50, 100.00, 100.50, 101.00, 101.50, 102.00, 102.50, 103.00, 103.50, 104.00, 104.50, 105.00, 105.50, 106.00, 106.50, 107.00, 107.50, 108.00, 108.50, 109.00, 109.50, 110.00, 110.50, 111.00, 111.50, 112.00, 112.50, 113.00, 113.50, 114.00, 114.50, 115.00, 115.50, 116.00, 116.50, 117.00, 117.50, 118.00, 118.50, 119.00, 119.50, 120.00, 120.50, 121.00, 121.50, 122.00, 122.50, 123.00, 123.50, 124.00, 124.50, 125.00, 125.50, 126.00, 126.50, 127.00, 127.50, 128.00, 128.50, 129.00, 129.50, 130.00, 130.50, 131.00, 131.50, 132.00, 132.50, 133.00, 133.50, 134.00, 134.50, 135.00, 135.50, 136.00, 136.50, 137.00, 137.50, 138.00, 138.50, 139.00, 139.50, 140.00, 140.50, 141.00, 141.50, 142.00, 142.50, 143.00, 143.50, 144.00, 144.50, 145.00, 145.50, 146.00, 146.50, 147.00, 147.50, 148.00, 148.50, 149.00, 149.50, 150.00, 150.50, 151.00, 151.50, 152.00, 152.50, 153.00, 153.50, 154.00, 154.50, 155.00, 155.50, 156.00, 156.50, 157.00, 157.50, 158.00, 158.50, 159.00, 159.50, 160.00, 160.50, 161.00, 161.50, 162.00, 162.50, 163.00, 163.50, 164.00, 164.50, 165.00, 165.50, 166.00, 166.50, 167.00, 167.50, 168.00, 168.50, 169.00, 169.50, 170.00, 170.50, 171.00, 171.50, 172.00, 172.50, 173.00, 173.50, 174.00, 174.50, 175.00, 175.50, 176.00, 176.50, 177.00, 177.50, 178.00, 178.50, 179.00, 179.50, 180.00, 180.50, 181.00, 181.50, 182.00, 182.50, 183.00, 183.50, 184.00, 184.50, 185.00, 185.50, 186.00, 186.50, 187.00, 187.50, 188.00, 188.50, 189.00, 189.50, 190.00, 190.50, 191.00, 191.50, 192.00, 192.50, 193.00, 193.50, 194.00, 194.50, 195.00, 195.50, 196.00, 196.50, 197.00, 197.50, 198.00, 198.50, 199.00, 199.50, 200.00, 200.50, 201.00, 201.50, 202.00, 202.50, 203.00, 203.50, 204.00, 204.50, 205.00, 205.50, 206.00, 206.50, 207.00, 207.50, 208.00, 208.50, 209.00, 209.50, 210.00, 210.50, 211.00, 211.50, 212.00, 212.50, 213.00, 213.50, 214.00, 214.50, 215.00, 215.50, 216.00, 216.50, 217.00, 217.50, 218.00, 218.50, 219.00, 219.50, 220.00, 220.50, 221.00, 221.50, 222.00, 222.50, 223.00, 223.50, 224.00, 224.50, 225.00, 225.50, 226.00, 226.50, 227.00, 227.50, 228.00, 228.50, 229.00, 229.50, 230.00, 230.50, 231.00, 231.50, 232.00, 232.50, 233.00, 233.50, 234.00, 234.50, 235.00, 235.50, 236.00, 236.50, 237.00, 237.50, 238.00, 238.50, 239.00, 239.50, 240.00, 240.50, 241.00, 241.50, 242.00, 242.50, 243.00, 243.50, 244.00, 244.50, 245.00, 245.50, 246.00, 246.50, 247.00, 247.50, 248.00, 248.50, 249.00, 249.50, 250.00, 250.50, 251.00, 251.50, 252.00, 252.50, 253.00, 253.50, 254.00, 254.50, 255.00, 255.50, 256.00, 256.50, 257.00, 257.50, 258.00, 258.50, 259.00, 259.50, 260.00, 260.50, 261.00, 261.50, 262.00, 262.50, 263.00, 263.50, 264.00, 264.50, 265.00, 265.50, 266.00, 266.50, 267.00, 267.50, 268.00, 268.50, 269.00, 269.50, 270.00, 270.50, 271.00, 271.50, 272.00, 272.50, 273.00, 273.50, 274.00, 274.50, 275.00, 275.50, 276.00, 276.50, 277.00, 277.50, 278.00, 278.50, 279.00, 279.50, 280.00, 280.50, 281.00, 281.50, 282.00, 282.50, 283.00, 283.50, 284.00, 284.50, 285.00, 285.50, 286.00, 286.50, 287.00, 287.50, 288.00, 288.50, 289.00, 289.50, 290.00, 290.50, 291.00, 291.50, 292.00, 292.50, 293.00, 293.50, 294.00, 294.50, 295.00, 295.50, 296.00, 296.50, 297.00, 297.50, 298.00, 298.50, 299.00, 299.50, 300.00, 300.50, 301.00, 301.50, 302.00, 302.50

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You will never know until you have an abundant supply of water in your home. When you consider that we do the pumping all the year 'round, and that your water supply is always under pressure, there is

Nothing so Cheap

in all your living expenses as the water supply from our mains. You may have water for sprinkling the street and lawn, a faucet in the kitchen, another in your stable and the charge is

Only \$12 per Year

for 30,000 gallons. With the bath-room connected the cost is \$16.00 and the allowance 40,000 gallons. The first cost of installing the water is about the same as building a new cistern. Come in and talk about it anyhow, or see your plumber

Mt. Sterling Water, Light & Ice Company.

OFFICE ON COURT STREET.

Speech may be silver, and silence golden, but the fellow with the most brass gets the tin.

A cold, cough or la grippe can be "nipped in the bud" with a dose or two of Foley's Honey and Tar. Beware of substitutes.

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

Rev. John L. Barth, a native of Louisville, attended for the first time a foot-ball game at St. Louis, and became so excited he died from apoplexy.

J. W. Bryan, of Lowder, Ill., writes: "My little boy was very low with pneumonia. Unknown to the doctor we gave him Foley's Honey and Tar. The result was magical and puzzled the doctor, as it immediately stopped the racking cough and he quickly recovered."

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

By the time a man gets old enough to talk well he has learned the value of not talking at all.

C. W. Lynch, Winchester, Ind., writes: "I owe the life of my boy to Foley's Honey and Tar. He had membranous croup, and the first dose gave him relief. We continued its use and it soon brought him out of danger."

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

Count Boni De Castellane has a \$11,000 overcoat. Pity he has not thought of putting it into it.

Editor Lynch, of "Daily Post," Philadelphia, N. J., has tested the merits of Foley's Honey and Tar with this result: "I have used a great many patent remedies in my family for coughs and colds, and I can honestly say your Honey and Tar is the best thing of the kind I have ever used and I cannot say too much in praise of it."

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

You can't spend your money and lend it, too.

To Stop a Cold.

After exposure or when you feel a cold coming on take a dose of Foley's Honey and Tar. It never fails to stop a cold if taken in time

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

A level surface is naturally flat, but there is a vast difference between a level-headed man and a flat-headed one.

Satisfied People

are the best advertisers for Foley's Honey and Tar and all who use it agree that it is a splendid remedy for coughs, colds and sore lungs.

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

The only people who get everything they want are those who only want what they get.

Chas. Replogle, Atwater, O., was in very bad shape. He says: "I suffered a great deal with my kidneys and was requested to use Foley's Kidney Cure. I did so and in four days I was able to go out to work again, now I am entirely well."

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

It was a woman who invented the tack puller which is so widely used in this country.

Information Wanted.

The manufacturers of Banner Salve having always believed that no doctor or medicine can cure in every case, but never having heard where Banner Salve failed to cure ulcers, sores, tetters, eczema, or piles as a matter of curiosity would like to know if there are such cases. If so they will gladly refund the money.

F. C. Duerson, Druggist.

A man's heart is blamed for a lot of things that his head is responsible for.

Foley's Honey and Tar cures colds, prevents pneumonia

STREET CLOCKS.

Alternately Raised and Dashed to Hopes of Men Going to Train.

"Don't trust a street clock if knowledge of the time is of any importance to you," said a benign looking stranger in a New York elevated train to a friend's reporter, as he glanced at me. "If you distrust them you are more than likely to be deceived, and if you rely on them you are quite certain to be led into annoyance, if not into trouble. They are seldom right and more likely to be slow than fast, for their exposed position makes them liable to be attacked by dust and moisture, that clogs their movements. Yet sometimes they are too fast, and you will frequently find that they have stopped to rest."

"I boarded a Sixth avenue elevated train at Rector street recently with just 33 minutes in which to reach a desired train at the Grand Central station—according to my watch. I knew that it was close work, and I felt all the more anxious because I had not implicit confidence in my watch, that had just come from the jeweler's."

"I began to look out for signals and found the first one just beyond Cortlandt street. There was an illuminated clock, and my hopes sank rapidly when I found that according to it I had only 26 minutes in which to reach the station. I was almost in despair, but was alert and hopeful again after we passed Park place and a clock on the wall of a building told me that I yet had 32 minutes, which was one minute better than my watch showed."

"I kept my eyes open for the next clock, at Franklin street, and found that I had actually gained a fraction of a minute in going a mile—according to the clocks. I knew that there was something seriously wrong, and watched for the next clock, beyond Bleeker street, hoping that the preponderance of evidence would be in my favor. I found that it was, for the clock said that I had 27 minutes, which was two minutes better than my watch showed."

"Alas, my hopes had to be dashed, for a clock at Eighth street said that I had but 19 minutes left, and that I had been eight minutes in going three-quarters of a mile. That could not be; but which clock was right?"

"When I reached Eighteenth street a clock told me that I had come from Eighth street without any time elapsing—an impossibility—yet my hopes were revived. The next two clocks were shut from view by passing trains, and I reached Forty-second street with my watch telling me that I had six minutes in which to gain the station, but a street clock said that I had only four. I caught an east bound street car, and reached the station with two minutes to spare, and found that my watch was exactly right. I will not let street clocks bother me again."

The Finance and currency committee of the New York Chamber of Commerce has reported a plan for securing a more elastic currency. It proposes to make gold the one legal tender.

BAILING THE BOAT



The man who has to give half his time and half his strength to bailing out his boat will make slow progress. Rowing one car he may be able to steer the boat, but the wind and tide will have him at their mercy.

This is very much like the case of a man who is physically weak and run-down, and only able to give part of his time and strength to work. He cannot expect to get ahead in the world, to make progress or advancement. He has to give half of his time and strength to keeping afloat physically, and that means working only half the time, drawing half wages and nothing laid by for a rainy day. For this man a double loss—his earnings are cut in half and his expenses are increased by doctors' bills and the cost of medicines. There are a great many such people, both men and women, who are living only half a life, because their physical strength is exhausted and they have as little capacity for enjoyment as they have for work. Life to them is only a license to labor, to live from hand to mouth, to toil in suffering and suffer in toil.

To these people there comes a message from strong hearty men working every day, and that message is "Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery will cure this weakness and feebleness and make a new man of you. I know it, because it cured me. I was weak, run-down, debilitated, able to work only part of the time, and then in pain and misery. I need Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and it cured me and made me a strong healthy man."

"Have purchased some of your valuable medicines of L. R. Spencer, of Blackstone, Va.," writes Mr. Victor L. Hayden, of Blackstone, Nottoway Co., Va. "I cannot express my gratification in words. I had been suffering from indigestion so badly that I could not work more than half the time, but now I can work every day and eat anything I want. Why? Because I took Dr. R. V. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery. It has put new life and energy in me, restored my health and made a man of me once more. I used to weigh 175, but had gotten down to 144, now I am back to 160, and will soon be back at my old weight if nothing happens. Your medicine has done it all. I cannot thank you enough for your advice."

Doctors disagree very often as to the cause of disease, but there are certain physiological facts upon which all are agreed, because they are plain and undeniable. The first and foremost of these physiological facts is that physical strength is derived from food and food alone, after it has been properly digested and assimilated. Now, when the physical strength fails and gives place to feebleness and weakness, the first question that would suggest itself would be "Why? He has enough food to eat to make him strong, and yet is weak and growing weaker. Why isn't he getting strength out of food?" Those questions lead straight to the common cause of physical weakness and debility, which is, disease of the stomach and its allied organs which prevents the proper digestion and assimilation of food. There is strength in the food eaten, but the digestive organs cannot extract it, and the nutrition contained in the food is largely lost.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures diseases of the stomach and other organs of digestion and nutrition. When these diseases are cured the food eaten is properly digested and perfectly assimilated. Then the lost flesh is regained, lost strength is restored, as in Mr. Hayden's case, and the man can work every day and eat anything he wants.

"In the year 1896, I was taken sick and suffered from indigestion," writes Mrs. Alice Brandy, of Denver, Bremer Co., Iowa. "Our family doctor said I had worked too hard and been indoors too much. Was in quite a bad condition; had indigestion, constipation, liver complaint; in fact, was all broken down. Can hardly describe my feelings. My head had a queer feeling and hurt me badly about three hours after eating; had bloating of the bowels, with a great deal of gas. He said I was affected; I had some very bad spells and thought I had brain disease, also had such a cough people said I had consumed my doctor. I got better and with our best physician. Would get better and worse again, until I was quite discouraged. My sister had taken Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery and they thought it might help me. I wrote to Dr. Pierce, stating my case and asking his advice. He wrote me what medicine to take. Finally, my brother-in-law got me a bottle of the 'Discovery,' and I commenced taking it. Felt quite a little worse the first bottle, but got another, also a vial of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets. Took the 'Golden Medical Discovery' for one year, and three bottles of 'Favorite Prescription,' also three vials of the 'Pleasant Pellets.' I was so much better at the end of the year that I stopped taking the medicine. I got better slowly, but there was no going back. It was a sure gain from the beginning. I had to diet at first—now I can eat heartily and almost anything I want. The result is, I am in better health than I have been for years. I am married now, and can do my own work. I will truly say I can praise Dr. Pierce's medicines with a very thankful heart; his letters were kind and contained good advice, and his medicines brought health and happiness."

The fact that a woman can sit down and rest now and again during her day's work leads her sometimes to overlook her growing weakness. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery cures works wonders for run-down women, gives them strength for their daily duties and health to enjoy life.

Those who suffer from chronic diseases are invited to consult Dr. Pierce by letter, free. All correspondence strictly private. Address Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WHAT WOULD YOU DO in the event of sudden sickness, accident, or injury? Dr. Pierce's Common Sense Medical Adviser will tell you just what to do and how to do it. It is full of practical information and valuable advice as to the preservation of health. This great work contains more than a thousand large pages and is sent FREE on receipt of stamps to pay expense of mailing ONLY. Send 21 one-cent stamps for the work in cloth binding, or only 21 stamps for the paper-covered book.

Address: Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y.



Quick and Powerful Heater,

as Steel Radiator, capped by Large, Heavy, Combustion Dome with Pipe Collar cast in one section, radiates quickly, giving greatest heat possible from least amount of fuel.

Steel Radiator

is flared at bottom and forced into cup-joint of solid curved Fire Pot, which rests in deep flanged groove of One-Piece Ash Pit. Bottom of Ash Pit is flush with Base Door. All joints are set with Asbestos Cement and bound with heavy rods on outside, making them absolutely air-tight. Very Heavy Draw Center Grate.

Powerful Floor Heater

as the deflector ring, between fire pot and radiator extends to outer casing, forcing the intense heat from lower section of stove downward to floor, where most desired. For sale by

Ed Mitchell,
The Hardwareman.



PENINSULAR



Railroad Valuation in Kentucky.

The total valuation of the tangible property of the railroads in Kentucky, as fixed by the State Railroad Commission, is \$51,941,384. This includes 3,150.00 miles of railroad. The valuation is \$241,408 short of the assessment for 1901. The largest assessment on the list is the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, \$23,059,535. It is estimated that at least 150 miles of road will be added to the present mileage during the coming year.

It is said that some Venetians—those who have never been in the mainland—have never seen a horse in all their lives. A showman once brought one to a fair and called it a monster, and the factory hands paid a quarter to see the marvel.

Yarmouth, England, corporation has ordered 10,000 pictorial posters to be used in advertising the town.

The fruit brick is the latest form of preserves. It is rectangular or disk-shaped and done up in oiled tissue paper. The consistency is that of a small gump, and, being composed largely of sugar, the flavor of the fruit is retained admirably. These bricks will soon be on the market from California.

All over Mexico President Diaz is pushing vast works of public improvement. Railroads especially are being extended, and it is expected that ere long Chicago and New Mexico will be but four days apart. Gen. Diaz is now seventy-two years old, but never rests from his self-imposed task of modernizing the sister republic.

The largest armor plate ever rolled—106 tons—was made by Krupp, in Dusseldorf, Germany, last year.

At Tunis the average commercial value of green almonds in good-sized lots is 15 francs (\$2.30) per 100 kilograms (220.56 pounds); the value of dry almonds is about four times as great, and the decorated fruit brings 205 francs per 100 kilograms. The stock on hand from the preceding harvest is insignificant—approximately 2,000 kilograms.

President Joseph Smith, of the Mormon Church, asserts that no polygamy is practiced under the sanction of the church. No polygamous marriages, he says, have occurred since 1890.

For the sole use of honeymoon couples one of the Russian railway companies has built a special Pullman car, containing luxuriously fitted dining, smoking, sitting and sleeping compartments.

Queen & Crescent Route.

(Continued from Item, Railway.)

Live. Lex. Northbound. Arr. Cin.
 *5:00 am. Q. & C. Special. 8:15 am
 *5:00 am. Blue Grass Vest. 10:15 am
 *5:30 pm. Local Express. 6:15 pm
 *5:30 pm. Florida & N. O. 7:30 pm

Live. Lex. Southbound. Live. Cin.
 *5:30 am. Local Express. 6:30 am
 *10:30 am. Florida & N. O. 8:30 am
 *5:45 pm. Blue Grass Vest. 4:30 am
 *10:35 pm. C. & C. Special. 8:35 pm

Trains marked (*) run daily; others daily except Sunday. Finest train service in the South. Ventilated train, free reclining chair cars and observation parlor cars, cafe dining cars and Pullman palace sleeping cars.

W. G. MORGAN, Depot Ticket Agent.
 S. T. SWIFT, City Ticket Agent.
 W. C. RINEHARSON, G. P. A., Cin.

Lexington & Eastern R'y

LOCAL TIME TABLE.

Effective May 1st, 1902.
East-Bound.

STATIONS.	No. 1	No. 4
	Dly Esbu	Dly
Lv Lexington.....	7 25	7 40
W. A. R. R.	8 10	8 25
Day City Junction.....	8 23	8 38
Day City.....	8 40	8 55
Natural Bridge.....	8 53	9 08
Natural Bridge.....	9 05	9 54
Turnout.....	9 45	10 05
Hecksville Junction.....	10 11	10 26
Ar Jacksonville.....	10 18	11 11

TOO MUCH SUMMER.

An Exceedingly Backward Fall Has Left Us With Too Many Winter Goods on Hand.

As it is our aim to show the people a Fresh Stock each season, in order to get room and money for our Spring Business we are compelled to Sacrifice our present stock.

Beginning Saturday, December 6th, AND CONTINUING UNTIL JANUARY 1st,

we will offer our Entire Stock

At Cost for Cash!

Cloaks, Furs, Blankets, Comforts,

And Everything else at Rock Bottom Prices. During this sale no goods will be laid away, unless paid for, and nothing charged except at regular prices. Santa Claus will do well to give us a call. Original Library Tickets will continue to be issued during this sale.

M. R. SAMUELS & CO., Mt. Sterling, Ky.

Memorial.

It is a beautiful spirit to keep fresh the memory of one departed. The Elk memorial service was held at the Opera House Sunday afternoon and a large audience was present as evidence of the esteem in which the departed brother, Frank J. Greene was held. Hon. W. C. P. Breckinridge, of Lexington, was the speaker.

We have many nice little articles for the girls and boys for Christmas. **OLDMAN HARDWARE CO.**

Every piece of Rochester Silver Nickle is guaranteed. **CHENAULT & OREAR.**

Thanksgiving sermon by Rev. John Abbott is printed on our 1st page.



Christmas Shoppers! ALL ABOARD FOR LEXINGTON!

On your way down think of the many pretty things to be found in a Jewelry Store, and incidentally think of that **NEW THIN MODEL GUN METAL WATCH**

we are offering—a Perfect Beauty—
Price, \$9.00.
We have many other good things at a moderate cost.

FRED J. HEINTZ,
R. Mails st. opp. Phoenix Hotel,
Lexington, Ky.

Appropriations For Our Pikes.

We have gathered from the records in the clerk's office some facts pertaining to the appropriations for and expenditures on our pikes during the year 1902.

Esq. C. G. Thompson has supervision of the roads in district No. 1, Mt. Sterling and Mayville; appropriations \$2,200; expenditures, \$2,735.79, of which \$963 is to be paid out of levy of 1903.

Esq. J. W. Henry has supervision of roads in districts 2 and 3; including three sections on which the items are as follows: Flat Rock and Mt. Sterling, available from 1901, \$39.50 with appropriation 1902 of \$500. Total, \$539.50; expenditures, \$370. Grassy Lick Winchester pike to Paris pike available from 1901, \$55.65, with appropriation 1902 of \$557.35. Total, \$613.00, expenditures, \$613. Mt. Sterling and Grassy Lick, available from 1901, \$12.04, with appropriations 1902 of \$600.46. Total, \$672.50, expenditures \$672.50.

Esq. Jno. Trimble has supervision of roads in district 4, Mt. Sterling and Jeffersonville pikes; available from 1901, \$50.00, with appropriations 1902 of \$900. Total, \$950, expenditures \$883.78.

Esq. T. N. Perry has supervision in district 5, Mt. Sterling and Spencer, appropriations 1902 \$1,000, which included \$100 from Levee, \$100 from Stepstone, expenditures, \$1,037.31 including \$123.10 available from 1901.

Esq. Jno. C. Trimble has supervision in district 6, including Mt. Sterling and Spencer (West End) and Mt. Sterling and Hinkston, appropriations, \$543.50, expenditures, \$679.30, including \$187.95 available from 1901.

Nice Coal Vases and Fire Sets at **OLDMAN HARDWARE CO.**

Complete line of fancy Lamps. **CHENAULT & OREAR.**

Death of a Prominent Statesman.

Thomas B. Reed, of Maine, former Speaker of the House of Representatives, died at 12.10 o'clock Sunday morning at the Arlington Hotel, in Washington. Acute Bright's disease developed Saturday night in connection with the arctic and appendical troubles with which the statesman had suffered during the week. Mr. Reed arrived hale and hearty in Washington, Sunday, Nov. 30, and attended the opening of the House session on Monday. On the evening of the latter day he complained of illness, and on Tuesday went to bed. Mr. Reed served in Congress from 1877 to 1899. He was Speaker of the House for three terms.

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Christmas Money.

You can secure it by making a cake out of our Royal Patent Flour. We offer \$2.50 for the best, \$1.50 for the second best cake on December 12. Cakes returned on the 13. **CHILDS-THOMPSON GRO. CO.**

A \$2.00 rifle makes your boy a nice present. You can get one of **OLDMAN HARDWARE CO.**

Fountain Pens from one dollar up, every pen guaranteed. **J. W. JONES.**

In arguing at Cynthiana for a new trial in the Marshall will case, Charles Baker, an attorney, said in substance that he would not trust the jury to try a yellow dog.

Big line of Rochester Silver Nickle ware. In Chaffing dishes and Baking dishes. **CHENAULT & OREAR.**

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CASTORIA.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of *Dr. J. C. Williams*

A New Paper.

The first issue of the Morehead Mountaineer appeared on Friday, December 5. It is a four page seven column paper and will appear weekly. Its editors are E. W. McDiarmid and F. C. Button professors in the Morehead Normal School. It is published solely for the good of the community. In politics, a straight and independent course will be maintained. Party affiliation will bar no one from its columns. The subscription is \$1.—full time or money refunded. It is a bright, new sheet, containing the President's Message to Congress, and gives much news from the surrounding country. We expect it to be a great factor in the uplift of Rowan County. We extend our best wishes.

For Sale.

A tract of land one mile east of Howards Mill on Mt. Sterling and Howards Mill pike, and containing 77½ acres of improved land in good condition and mostly in grass; also a tract of 34½ acres, near Stepstone Station, good land and well improved.

WILLIAM T. TORLEY,
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Suit Sale, Guthrie Clothing Co.
Surrey For Sale.

Has only been used about four months, in good order, and is a light vehicle. Will be sold worth the money.

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The best line of \$2.00 boots in town.

PUNCH & GATEWOOD.

A Fine Milk Cow \$25.

When fresh, gives three gallons at a milking. Weighs near 875 lbs.

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Everything For the People New and Desirable.

On the first page of this issue will be seen the advertisement of J. C. Enoch who never fails to lead with attractive up-to-date articles. This year his stock is more complete than at any time during Mr. Enoch's stay here and were it not that you knew you were in his store you could enter the beautiful decorated building thinking you were in one of the first stores of Louisville or Cincinnati. Really it is worth the going, to have the opportunity to look upon the attractive holiday wares. If you would have a first choice, now is the time to buy. Everything ready, a hearty welcome awaits everyone.

Ladies' Furs, Underwear, Hosiery, Corsets cheap at
21-3t **T. P. MARTIN & CO.**

Call and see our line of 20 and 25c books, at **KENNEDY'S DRUG STORE.**

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We are sole agents for the Snag Proof boots.

PUNCH & GATEWOOD.

Elk's Memorial Service.

On Sunday the R. F. O. E. held memorial services in many cities as is their custom. Such a service was held by the Mt. Sterling Lodge at the Opera House on Sunday afternoon in memory of Frank J. Greene, recently deceased. Lewis Apperson, Exalted Ruler, was in charge. The building was crowded. Rev. John Abbott offered prayer.

The Elk's Quartette—A. A. and C. T. Hazelrigg, H. S. Wood and Wm. Leverone, sang "Abide With Me."

Miss Sallie Lockhart favored the audience with a solo.

The address of the occasion was delivered by Col. W. C. P. Breckinridge, and it is said to have been very fine.

Wm. Leverone then sang a solo. Rev. H. D. Clark delivered in his usual pleasing manner a brief "Tribute to Our Departed."

The exercises closed by the quartette singing "Jesus Lover of My Soul."

At Denver, on Saturday, Mayor Wright and eleven Aldermen were sentenced to serve four months in jail for contempt of court for regarding an injunction by Judge Mullins to restrain the enactment of a street railway franchise ordinance.

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Is the proper stimulant these frosty mornings and chilly evenings.

The BEST is cheap enough. We can furnish "OUR BLEND" at 17 cts., "SUPERIOR" at 25 cts., or "CHOICE JAVA and MOCHA" at 30 cts. Money refunded if Coffee does not please you.

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The project is being carried out of a seven-mile underground tunnel which will cost \$14,000,000 to build and four years to complete.



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Capital invested in railroads in the Dominion of... \$1,100,000.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY
Louis-Louisville Lines.

corrected to June 25, 1901.

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A	218	2:10 a.m.	2:15 p.m.	2:15 p.m.
A	219	2:35 a.m.	2:40 p.m.	2:40 p.m.
A	220	3:00 a.m.	3:05 p.m.	3:05 p.m.
A	221	3:25 a.m.	3:30 p.m.	3:30 p.m.
A	222	3:50 a.m.	3:55 p.m.	3:55 p.m.
A	223	4:15 a.m.	4:20 p.m.	4:20 p.m.
A	224	4:40 a.m.	4:45 p.m.	4:45 p.m.
A	225	5:05 a.m.	5:10 p.m.	5:10 p.m.
A	226	5:30 a.m.	5:35 p.m.	5:35 p.m.
A	227	5:55 a.m.	6:00 p.m.	6:00 p.m.
A	228	6:20 a.m.	6:25 p.m.	6:25 p.m.
A	229	6:45 a.m.	6:50 p.m.	6:50 p.m.
A	230	7:10 a.m.	7:15 p.m.	7:15 p.m.
A	231	7:35 a.m.	7:40 p.m.	7:40 p.m.
A	232	8:00 a.m.	8:05 p.m.	8:05 p.m.
A	233	8:25 a.m.	8:30 p.m.	8:30 p.m.
A	234	8:50 a.m.	8:55 p.m.	8:55 p.m.
A	235	9:15 a.m.	9:20 p.m.	9:20 p.m.
A	236	9:40 a.m.	9:45 p.m.	9:45 p.m.
A	237	10:05 a.m.	10:10 p.m.	

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HIS PECULIAR STATUS.

A Frenchman Who Was Legally Dead
Though Otherwise Much Alive.

"I am dead. I ought not to have offered myself as witness but I had forgotten for the moment that I was dead." Such, according to a Paris correspondence of the London Telegraph, was the extraordinary speech uttered by an individual of substantial proportions, and evidently in the enjoyment of the best of health. There was a row between a couple of cabmen, and several bystanders, including the alleged dead person, who volunteered their services as witnesses. When, however, the policeman put to him the usual questions about his trade, etc, he was treated to this marvelous reply. There was a laugh all round, but the hero of the adventure repeated, with the utmost gravity, that this was really his legal status; indeed, he promptly produced a document setting forth that he had breathed his last in a hospital in South America in the month of January. "It is quite en regle, so I am dead. But I am on my way to have rectified, as you perceive, that, although legally dead, I am alive all the same," he added, and then he explained that some time ago he had been attacked at Bordeaux and robbed of his papers, which had been appropriated by one of his assassins, who had taken his name. This was the man who had expired at the hospital at Boulogne-Ayres, and, having ascertained the facts, and obtained a copy of the certificate of death, the speaker was proceeding to one of the suburbs where he had been born, to have the matter set to rights. His story so interested the cabmen that they became reconciled on the spot, and now he is alive, legally, as well as in the flesh, his little excursion in Boulogne-sur-Seine having had the desired result.

HISTORIC RELICS.

Chamber Set of British Commander at Lexington.
In New Haven, in a small room in one of its oldest homes is a collection of historical relics not generally known, even to historians, and of which existence, says the Boston Herald, it consists of the complete chamber set of Lord Percy, who commanded the British troops at Lexington, April 19, 1775, and which he used before leading his men out from Boston. The furniture, of great intrinsic value also, includes one of the finest highboys of the revolutionary period, a four-post bedstead of the oldest model, two chairs that are probably among the oldest chairs in this country, and a gilt-framed looking glass of Martha Washington.

The highboy is a rare example of its kind, and was brought over from England in 1770. It is made of mahogany, with brass handles, and fan-shaped, open-work decorations at top and bottom. The great four-post bedstead, made of black oak, is nine feet high, and its pink and white silk tapestries that cover the canopy and form the drapery for the back are rare in collections.

Horace Day, the owner of these valuable relics, is a well-known antiquary of New Haven, and one of the oldest living graduates of Yale university. The Lord Percy furniture descended to him from a long line of New England ancestors. During the war of the revolution the furniture was sent out from Boston to the house of a friend of the original owner, who presented it to Mr. Day's family. The mirror came to Mr. Day in an unusual way. A few years ago he received a letter from a clergyman in Salem, Mass., who said that Lord Percy's mirror had been given him by a friend, and he wished to send it to join the rest of the furniture.

Will Blossom the Year Round.

A horticulturist mentions a plant of the primrose family, *Primula obconica*, as the only one that can be had in flower all the year round. A large pot of this plant has flowered continuously for five years. The flowers are abundant, and were originally of a pale lilac, but have been recently improved not only in size but in variety of color, while many shades of lilac and pink to deep rose being now obtainable. The cut flowers are pleasing for house decoration, while keeping fresh a long time in water. The plant thrives out of doors in summer, but requires hot-house protection in winter. The one objectionable quality is that both flowers and leaves poison the skin of some individuals.

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An Ancient Pea.

At a show organized in London by the Sweet Pea society a plant was in bloom which had been raised from a pea found in the hand of an Egyptian mummy.

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Carved by Cave Dwellers.

In what is known as the "Factor's cave," at Wemyss, on the coast of Fife, Scotland, an interesting discovery has just been made by Dr. J. Patrick, professor of biblical criticism and antiquities in the University of Edinburgh, of a large and vigorous incision on a dimly lighted ledge which had hitherto escaped the notice of archaeologists. This carving takes the shape of a viking ship, at the stern of which there is the figure of a man steering with an oar, while five other oars project from the broad, well-inked hull without any appearance of rowers being visible. Both prow and stern have the characteristic viking carving—the stern being conspicuous. The effectiveness of the sculpture is also helped by the way it catches the light, owing to its leaning toward a deep fissure in a part of the rock. These carvings are generally supposed to have been executed by the cave dwellers of Pictish times in Scotland and probably date from early in the Christian era.—Chicago Daily News.

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